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HERE AND POSSIBILITIES

OF MOTHERS' CLUBS.

by Mrs. H. G. Henderson for the Medina County Teachers' Institute.

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When affairs go wrong in the world, it is always some one to say "a woman at the bottom of it." She may be at the bottom of it. There are also things going on in the world, great and mighty, that are at work for the uplifting of the human race, and woman is at the bottom of that too. She has been the weaker sex but that is proving to the fact that her genius is in a narrower groove. She is unconsciously the little things, the girl of Bologna who carved a face of a thousand lives on a plum.

In the art gallery at Dresden is an exquisite picture of the Virgin of Calvary occupying only two or three of space. Little things in the universe.

A father loves his children almost as much as does the mother; however, the custom has given to the mother the care and management of the little ones. The ordinary father stands stolidly along the commercial earning a living for his family leaving the ethics of home life to the mother, considering these to be in woman's line. She has the privilege of training the emerald nations of the earth and when she comes to calculate the forces that are the destiny of nations it will be in the mighty influence of woman.

You have but to glance over the assembly to see how woman's influence predominates over the rising generation of Medina County. Here fifteen men to three dozen women, it is like this wide world over.

Look at our greatest inventors. Are they not influenced by women? Did Eli Whitney invent the cotton gin at the suggestion of Mrs. Green? He had his sewing machine nearly complete but he could find no way in which to force the thread through the needle until a lady suggested an eye in the needle. Did not Caroline Schlegel help her illustrious brother in astronomical calculations? Did she discover worlds for herself and was not busy in the study of stars until she died beyond them?

Look at the fair specimens of noble womanhood. Stand Florence Nightengale, the nurse of the Crimean War; Grace Darling, the oarswoman of Longstone; the housewife who saved a thousand lives; the angel of mercy to the insane; Mary Lyons, the founder of the Holyoke Seminary; and a thousand other women of yesterday and today.

What has more power to penetrate the innermost soul of an abandoned child than the beautiful lines which are in rich profusion from the pen of Jean Ingelow?

Did not Marie Antonette quiet a mob by a look from the balcony of her castle?

The Poet says—
"Oh, woman! There is in you all that we believe of Heaven!
Amazing brightness, purity and truth."

To show you womanly excellence and greatness we need not refer you to Zenobia or Samerimis, but simply point you to your own picture gallery of memory. There you will find one face that will arouse all that is holy, all the love and gratitude within you. This gentle, beautiful face is—Mother!

But women are like separate fingers on the palm of humanity and if these fingers be knotted and compressed into a fist by union and close fellowship what may they not accomplish? Never since the dawn of time has there been so many benevolent orders as today. Never was the power of co-operation as well understood. There are Orders, Clubs, Leagues, Societies, national and international, and however secret they may be all are known to be founded on mutual help. They nurse the sick and bury the dead. Time would fail us to mention the various clubs into which women alone are crowding today, but there is not one with a more noble purpose than our Mothers' Club. One of the most important conditions of easy control in school is co-operation of patrons and teachers. The crying necessity of such conditions brought into life our Mothers' Clubs of Texas.

Their prerogative is to cast a protecting shield over our schools; to build a school sentiment throughout our state; to carry the mother-love and mother-thought into all that concerns or teaches childhood in home, school, church or state; to discuss plans for stimulating the children to proper activities; means and ways of keeping our children off the streets and out of the back alleys where they might learn pernicious language; in short, to lend every possible assistance to the upbuilding of a school in the community with every facility for a thorough educational course. During the first few weeks of Prof. Covington's administration we had so many children absent and so many tardy that we saw the need of a Mothers' Club. Many mothers joined and others heard of the work we wished to accomplish and rendered assistance by starting their youngsters in time for school. It worked like a charm.

In the spring of 1909 we had no hall sufficiently large for our commencement exercises and the one we procured was an upstairs room; so in order to reduce the assemblage we charged a small fee. This money was to be used for our library. Last year we gave an "Old Folks Concert." The mothers read, sang and recited for the trifling purpose of elevating the stage, amusing the public and procuring funds for our library. During the summer we had an ice cream supper in the Park and this year we have taken the Lyceum Course, had a dinner on Election day and our President has taken subscriptions for the "Ladies Home Journal." In this way, we are putting good things before the public and also making money for our work. We have already purchased several sets of supplementary reading for each grade in our school and we still hope to accomplish wonders in the way of physical improvements after we have supplied the moral needs. Our Club is federated with the Women's Congress of Texas and our delegate brought us notes of the meeting at Austin on Oct. 12. A large audience was gathered to bid welcome to this, the newest of State organizations. Greetings were extended by Hon. Jewel Lightfoot (Gov. Campbell being sick at the time). Mayor Wooldridge bade them welcome in behalf of the city. This was followed by welcome addresses from Supt. of City schools and State Supt. of Public Instruction. Mr. Bralley said that in his capacity as State Supt. he had witnessed the influence of Mothers' Clubs in the work and he most earnestly wished them "God's Speed." The response to these greetings was made in a most graceful and appropriate manner by the President of the Women's Congress, Mrs. J. N. Porter, of Dallas.

There were many addresses made by prominent men, a number of receptions given to the Congress and all the Mothers' Clubs of Texas heard from. Mrs. Porter recommended that the Clubs stress the physical development of the children, and to agitate the abolition of the public drinking cup, and she hoped that ere long the Mothers' Congress would be represented in every county in Texas. A delightful entertainment at the University brought to a close the 2nd Annual Congress of Mothers.

Probably this is stale to some of you, but the notes have been curtailed considerably and were only read with the hope that they might create a desire in the hearts of those who are not members of a Mothers' Club either to join or to be the means of forming a new club. You have no idea how it will help in the general elevation of the country life. We need Mothers' Clubs in the rural districts more than in town, it gives the farmers wives something to think of beside churning, sweeping and sewing. Change of work is really rest and women are naturally social and if our staunchest men are to come from the country it is only right for the teachers to try to throw some brightness into the lives of these mothers and at the same time bring brightness into their own lives by coming in contact with these noble women.

The mother's treasures are in the school and "where their treasures are there should their hearts be also." The school grounds must be improved for our children; for the more attractive their surroundings, the higher will be their aspirations and the easier their attainment.

The capacity of conceiving the beautiful exists in every mind. It needs only that a spark from the outer world should light it and all things become illuminated in its blaze. Out of the idea of the beautiful, nothing unchaste or false can come and from a love of the beautiful to a love of the good, there is but a single step. Educating children means something more than solving problems in arithmetic or constructing sentences in Grammar, but the awakening in their minds an animating, life giving power that does not rest satisfied with present attainments but is ever striving to open new truth, to express new beauty or to contrive new ways of lessening labor or effecting good.

Our children are learning to read, they are learning to love to read and if something pure, good and interesting is not put before them they will get something that will harm both soul and body. They will get pernicious literature that will warp the mind, ruin the memory and destroy a taste for anything better. There is beauty, truth and goodness in the works of nature, in art, in science, in human life and now and then they are caught up by some master hand and, like the pearly drops that hang upon the flowers, like the beaded bubbles that break upon the stream, grace our literature. These, the mothers can put before their children until their hearts will respond in answering sympathy. Gymnasiums may be provided, pianos, charts, maps, pretty pictures, pictures of noble men and women. Children are great imitators, therefore something worthy of imitation should be placed constantly before them. A dingy school room is a constant temptation to disorder and low aims while a pretty room will make both teacher and pupils happy and will make them strive for "something better than they had known."

The real power that keeps the world moving today is not horse power as most people think, but mother power and when the mothers of the world combine their efforts their sphere may be bounded on the north by the Aurora Borealis, on the south by the Vernal Equinox, on the east by the rising sun and the west by Eternity and their possibilities as limitless as space itself.

Program.
For the Medina County Teachers' Local Institute to be held at the D'Hanis High School building, D'Hanis, Texas, for two days, beginning Friday evening, January 27.
Every teacher, trustee, and other friends of the schools of our county are heartily invited to attend the institute, and take part in all discussions.

FRIDAY NIGHT
1. Music
2. Local tax as a supplement to the State Fund.
3. Music.
4. A Summary of the State Teachers' Association at Abilene, 1910, Prof. T. C. Hickman.
5. Music.
6. Lecture, Prof. A. S. Blankenship.

SATURDAY MORNING
1. The necessity of a Parents' and Teachers' Club at D'Hanis, Prof. W. W. Dover, Mrs. Roller, and Mrs. Henderson.
2. Grammar. The methods and importance of teaching it, Dr. H. S. Roller, leader; Misses Breeding, Fuller and Stubbs.
3. The teacher as factor in the Social, Civic and Intellectual Development of the Community, Prof. F. C. Cannon and J. G. Matthews.
4. Personality of the teacher (McK—C. 18.), Prof. W. G. Moore and Miss Bessie Gillam.
5. The Mental attitude of the Pupil (McK—C. 19.), Prof. W. L. Spradling, Miss Annie Spencer, and Prof. A. W. Meyers.

Respectfully,
W. N. SAATHOFF,
County Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County.

Mothers' Club Meeting.
The Mothers' Club convened at the school house Monday evening at 4 o'clock.

Those present were Mesdames G. W. Monkhouse, J. W. Holloway, L. J. Brucks, E. G. Garwood, G. T. Elder, L. Stiegler, H. H. Crow, P. Jungman, Lee Green, H. G. Henderson, F. Davis, Misses Lena and Stella Stone, Rhea Mackey, Nova Johnson, and Prof. Hickman and Spradling.

Prof. Hickman reported about five hundred books bought for the school library, at a cost of about \$140.

Mrs. G. W. Jones, Mrs. T. C. Hickman and Prof. Spradling were appointed a Committee to audit the books of the Mother's Club.

Mrs. J. W. Holloway handed in her resignation, which was accepted by the Club, and Mrs. P. Jungmann was elected to succeed her as 2nd Vice-President.

Prof. Hickman and Spradling and Mrs. H. G. Henderson were appointed a Committee to decide on the winners of the prizes for the best essays on "Robert E. Lee" and "Causes that led up to the Civil War."

Mrs. G. W. Jones and Mrs. H. G. Henderson were appointed a Committee to select prizes for the two best essays.

Prof. Hickman made a short talk on what he had learned of the work of Mother's Clubs over the State, while attending a meeting of the State Teachers' Association at Abilene.

Posted.
Our pastures are both posted according to law. No hunting or trespassing allowed.
Burrell Bros.,
Dunlay Texas.

Notice.
My pastures are posted. No shooting or hunting allowed.
2-111. JOHN STURM.

GET YOUR PREMIUM CARDS AT THE CO-OPERATIVE STORE BEFORE FEBRUARY 1

On that date all Premiums will be withdrawn.

We will continue to sell the Freshest Groceries and most up-to-date Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes to be found in Medina County.

We want your trade.

HEYEN & COMPANY

The Co-Operative Store

Branch Store at Tarpley

G. H. & S. A. Passenger Train Schedule.

WEST BOUND
No. 7. Arrives.....8:46 P. M.
No. 9. Arrives.....10:12 A. M.
EAST BOUND
No. 10. Arrives.....5:33 P. M.
No. 8. Arrives.....8:26 A. M.
P. JUNGMAN, JR., Agent.

Optician.

Kryptok invisible bifocals, reading and distance lenses in one solid lens, no lines to obstruct the vision, a splendid present for yourself or friends. All kinds of spectacles and eye glasses at J. Pluck's optical office, second floor of the Leinweber building.

For Sale.

Saloon business and Pool Room, also our residence, a rock building containing four rooms, kitchen and out-houses. For particulars apply to
Mr. and Mrs. FRANK MONIER,
Castroville, Texas.

Tax Collector Joe Ney asks us to announce that all minors becoming of age any time in 1911 after January 31st should apply to him before February 1st and secure an exemption certificate showing that fact, otherwise such parties can not vote during 1911. This is important and you should not neglect it.

New Year Resolution!

We have already made our New Year's resolution and shall continue for 1911, our policy of the past—

A Square Deal To All!

If you are not already one of our many customers now is a good time to open an account with us.

Hondo Merc. Co.

You Can Depend on This Cough Syrup

Is that cough of yours obstinate—won't let up day or night—got the throat irritated and inflamed—covered with mucous deposits?

Take a few doses of Nyal's Winter Cough Syrup—you'll notice a decided improvement in a day or two—even the first dose brings relief

It relieves all soreness and irritation—soothes and heals the inflamed tissues—removes the mucous and prevents further infection. Contains no morphine, chloroform, or opiates of any description—it is absolutely safe and dependable—you know just what you are taking—we can give you the formula and that's why we are so enthusiastic about it. Two sizes, 25 and 50 cents.

When we had a chance to get the exclusive selling agency for Nyal Family Remedies we jumped at it. They are known among all druggists as the highest quality line on the market and are prepared by a great firm of manufacturing chemists, famous for fifty years.

W. H. WINDROW

PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST

Remember we have an exceptionally complete stock of everything usually kept in a drug store.

Program

For Missionary Institute to Be Held at Hondo, Texas, January 16-18, 1911.

MONDAY, JANUARY 16, 1911.

EVENING SESSION.

7:15—The Aim and Spirit of The Institute, R. A. Rowland.

7:30—The One Great Mission of the Church, Theo. Lee.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 17, 1911.

MORNING SESSION.

9:00—Devotional—Lesson: Acts, 11 Chapter, W. L. Hightower.

9:15—A Survey of Our Mission Fields, J. M. Lynn.

9:30—Prayer and Missions, E. Y. S. Hubbard.

9:45—The Pastor As An Educational Force in Missions, Thos. Gregory.

10:00—How to Reach and Inlist the Whole Membership in Missions? Can It Be Done? Who Can Do It? C. W. Hordon.

10:15—How Can We Increase the Spirit of Prayer for Missions? F. A. Grimes.

10:30—The Missionary Education of the Children. Why? Where? and When? Theo. Lee.

10:45—The Supreme Need of the Hour: Education, Prayer and Definite Plans, M. L. Darby.

11:00—Missionary Sermon, Thomas Gregory.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devoted to the Laymen's Missionary Movement.

2:30—The Laymen's Missionary Movement—Why and How? G. G. Johnson.

2:45—The Churchman's Relation to His Pocket-book, A. A. Hughes.

3:00—Ought the Missionary Burdens be Equalized? G. H. Calcott.

3:15—The Every Member Campaign. The Best Way to Secure Results, Discussion.

4:00—Do We Give Evidence of Our Faith in Missionary Propaganda? Isaac King.

4:15—Are We Meeting the Needs of Our Own District? T. N. Barton and L. C. Lilly.

4:30—Can We and Will We Support a Missionary in the Uvalde District? C. H. Beever and Bro. Lacy.

4:45—The Work of the District Lay Leader Explained, G. H. Calcott.

5:00—The Work of the Lay Leader in the Congregation, Prof. Evans.

5:15—Missions From the View-point of a Business Man, R. H. Wester.

EVENING SERVICE.

7:15—Song Service.

7:30—How Can We Influence Our Respective Churches to Adopt An Adequate Missionary Policy? Answered By Many.

7:45—Missionary Address, G. G. Johnson.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18, 1911.

MORNING SESSION.

9:00—Devotional—Scripture Lesson, Luke 10:25, 37, C. W. Rylander.

9:15—The Standard Missionary Church, W. Allbritten.

9:30—Our Responsibility to the Foreigner in Our Midst, R. A. Rowland.

9:45—How to Make the Epworth League Most Effective As a Missionary Force, Jno. N. Rentfro.

10:00—The Teaching of Jesus Concerning Money, W. L. Hightower.

10:15—Can We Secure An Offering for Missions From Every Member? And How? Geo. A. Nance.

10:30—How to Have a Live Missionary Sunday School, J. E. Buck and J. W. Woodson.

10:50—How to Discover and Develop the Missionary Spirit in Our People, A. Guyon.

11:00—Preaching, E. Y. S. Hubbard.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2:30—Devotional, C. E. Wheat.

2:45—The World's Need and the Savior's Desire, L. C. Lilly.

3:00—The Leadership of the Pastor in Missionary Education, C. W. Rylander.

3:15—The Great Commission and the Great Challenge, Theo. Lee.

3:30—The Incoming Millions, Their Needs and Our Obligation, C. E. Wheat.

3:45—Our Opportunity and Obligation, T. N. Barton.

4:00—How Shall We Meet Our Obligation to Missions? R. A. Rowland.

4:15—Americanizing the Aliens, J. M. Lynn.

4:30—Our Spanish Neighbors, Dr. C. W. Carter.

4:50—How Can We Enlarge Our Missionary Offerings? Answered By Many.

EVENING SERVICE.

7:15—Song Service.

7:30—How to Secure Early Collections and a Surplus, W. L. Hightower.

7:45—An Adequate Financial Plan Essential for Evangelizing the World, F. A. Grimes.

S. B. BEALL,

Presiding Elder.

In every home where there are children there should be a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys worms and acts as a tonic in the debilitated system. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

How about love at first sight, if love is blind?

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Millions of Lives.

An Awful Toll Collected by Consumption. Many Unnecessary Deaths.

If people could only understand that systemic catarrh is an internal disease that external applications cannot cure, they would not need to be warned so often about this malady, which, when neglected, paves the way oftentimes for consumption, at the cost of millions of lives every year. Yet catarrh may be cured, if the right treatment is employed.

The only way to successfully treat catarrh is by employing a medicine which is absorbed and carried by the blood to all parts of the system, so that the mucous membrane or internal lining of the body is toned up and made capable of resisting the infection of consumption and other diseases.

We have a remedy prepared from the prescription of a physician who for thirty years studied and made catarrh a specialty, and whose record was a patient restored to health in every case where his treatment was followed as prescribed. That remedy is Rexall Muc-Tone. We are so positive that it will completely overcome catarrh in all its various forms, whether acute or chronic, that we promise to return every penny paid us for the medicine in every case where it fails or for any reason does not satisfy the user.

We want you to try Rexall Muc-Tone on our recommendation and guarantee. We are right here where you live, and you do not contract any obligation or risk when you try Rexall Muc-Tone on our guarantee. We have Rexall Muc-Tone in two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00. Very often the taking of one 50-cent bottle is sufficient to make a marked impression upon the case. Of course in chronic cases a longer treatment is necessary. The average in such instances is three \$1.00 bottles. Remember you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Hondo only at our store,—The Rexall Store. Falkenberg & Martin.

Courthouse News.

DEEDS FILED.

Real Estate transfers for to January 1, 1911.

W. E. Newton and wife to C. J. Oefinger, Jan. 5, 1911, deed to 640 acres survey 805, in name of A. A. Lacoste, \$16,000.

W. W. Burns and wife to Ed Fenneman and Lee Dickinson, Nov. 1, 1910, deed to lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and south ½ of lots 5 and 6, block 12, Bright addition, \$1500.

Henry Loessberg to Jacob Haby, Dec. 3, 1910, deed to 483 acres out of survey 8, in name of Andrew Northington, \$8000.

Louis A. and J. G. Heyen to R. P. Thomas and H. C. Rothe, April 15, 1910, deed to lots 3 and 4, block 3, J. W. Miller addition, Hondo, \$275.

G. W. Griffith and wife to F. R. Briscoe, Dec. 28, 1910, deed to lots 7, 10, 11, block 44, Bright addition, \$150.

J. W. Hollaway to Ross Hollaway, Jan. 6, 1911, deed to an undivided ½ interest in block 7, lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, block 2, with improvements, etc., Dunlay, \$1.00 and other considerations.

A. F. Jagge to L. W. Burrell, Nov. 10, 1910, deed to ½ acre out of survey 41, in name of John Sharp, \$1.00.

Elise Broussard to Jay E. Adams, Jan. 5, 1911, deed to 1200 acres, survey 12, in name of Jacob Huff, \$18,000.

Bids for Medina County Depository.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received from Banking Incorporations, associations, or individual bankers in Medina county, desiring to be selected as the DEPOSITORY OF THE FUNDS OF MEDINA COUNTY.

under the terms of an act of the 29th Legislature, and amendments thereto, providing for county depositories. All proposals must comply in all respects with the terms of said acts, (a certified check for \$200, is required to accompany bid, which will be returned to bidder upon filing of bond for \$80,000 within five days after acceptance of bid,) bid to be addressed to H. E. Haass, County Judge, Hondo, Texas, and must be in my hands before 10 o'clock, A. M., on Monday, February 13, 1911, on which day they will be presented to the Commissioners' Court for approval or rejection, as provided by law.

Witness my official signature, at Hondo, Texas, January 11, 1911.

H. E. HAASS,
County Judge, Medina County,
Hondo, Texas.

It Is Fine.

Blondin's Show, "The Cowboy, Indian and the Lady," is good, in fact the very best dramatic production you have ever seen under canvas. Go and be convinced they deliver the goods. Saturday, January 21.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Nothing pleases a woman so much, as to be asked to go to a millinery store and help pick a hat!

To prevent pneumonia, a cold settled on the lungs should be attended to at once. Put a Herick's Red Pepper Porous Plaster on the chest and take Ballard's Horehound Syrup internally. It's a winning combination. Buy the dollar size Horehound Syrup; you get a porous plaster free with each bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

It's easy to get your fellow men to speak well of you. All you have to do is lay down and die.

Medicines that aid nature are most effectual. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It allays the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Thousands have testified to its superior excellence. Sold by all dealers.

Knowledge how to make a living, is worth more than a dozen diplomas in dead languages!

When given as soon as the croupy cough appears Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will ward off an attack of croup and prevent all danger and cause of anxiety. Thousands of mothers use it successfully. Sold by all dealers.

You may not be able to tell when a gun is loaded, but you can always tell when a man is!

If you don't sleep well at night, are nervous and low-spirited, you need a system purifier. Herbine is a powerful liver stimulant and cleansing medicine. It quiets the nerves, promotes energy and cheerfulness. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

One man doesn't like to meet another one who has the fad of collecting bills!

Constipation is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For sale by all dealers.

A married man carrying a bundle or a baby, is a sort of warning to single men!

If your stomach feels uncomfortable from overeating, or from food which disagrees with you, take Herbine; it settles the stomach, strengthens the digestion and relaxes the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

It isn't what your enemies say about you that hurts, but what your friends say!

Make your real estate wants known to us. Hondo Land Co

A Reliable Cough Medicine.

Is a valuable family friend. Foley's Honey and Tar fulfills this condition exactly. Mrs. Charles Kline, N. 8th St., Easton, Pa., states: "Several members of my family have been cured of bad coughs and colds by the use of Foley's Honey and Tar and I am never without a bottle in the house. It soothes and relieves the irritation in the throat and loosens up the cold. I have always found it a reliable cough cure and do not hesitate to recommend it highly." For la grippe coughs and stuffy colds, for children and grown persons and for delicate people use only Foley's Honey and Tar. Contains no opiates. W. H. Windrow.

It is said that ministers live longer than any other professional men, and yet it's said that the good die young!

Solves A Deep Mystery.

"I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart," wrote C. B. Rader, of Lewisburg, W. Va., "for the wonderful double benefit I got from Electric Bitters, in curing me of both a severe case of stomach trouble and of rheumatism, from which I had been an almost helpless sufferer for ten years. It suited my case as though made just for me." For dyspepsia, indigestion, jaundice and to rid the system of kidney poisons that cause rheumatism, Electric Bitters has no equal. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c at W. H. Windrow's.

A well known actress says that in her profession a divorce without publicity is as bad as no divorce at all!

Foley's Kidney Remedy—An Appreciation.

L. McConnell, Catherine St., Elmira, N. Y., writes: "I wish to express my appreciation of the great good I derived from Foley's Kidney Remedy, which I used for a bad case of kidney trouble. Five bottles did the work most effectively and proved to me beyond doubt it is the most reliable kidney medicine I have ever taken and shall always have my endorsement." W. H. Windrow.

A man who boasts of calling a spade a spade may pass a snow shovel without being able to recognize it!

Death In Roaring Fire

may not result from the work of firebugs, but often severe burns are caused that make a quick need for Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the quickest, surest cure for burns, wounds, bruises, boils, sores. It subdues inflammation. It kills pain. It soothes and heals. Drives off skin eruptions, ulcers or piles. Only 25c at W. H. Windrow's.

Old Soldiers Tortured.

"For years I suffered unspeakable torture from indigestion, constipation and liver trouble," wrote A. K. Smith, a war veteran at Erie, Pa., "but Dr. King's New Life Pills fixed me all right. They're simply great." Try them for any stomach, liver or kidney trouble. Only 25c at W. H. Windrow.

The fellow who burns about with a pistol in his pocket isn't hunting hard work!

When buying a cough medicine for children bear in mind that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is most effectual for colds, croup and whooping cough and that it contains no harmful drug. For sale by all dealers.

Fever Sores

Fever sores and old chronic sores should not be healed entirely, but should be kept in a healthy condition. This can be done by applying Chamberlain's Salve. This salve has no superior for this purpose. It is also most excellent for chapped hands, sore nipples, burns and diseases of the skin. For sale by all dealers.

A man may boast of facing the bullets in battle, but let a bed bug get after him, and you will see him run!

"The Only Thing That Will Relieve Neuralgia."

The piercing pains of Neuralgia, which often follows a bad cold or La Grippe, are frequently almost unbearable and few medicines afford any relief to the sufferer.

"I am a rural mail carrier and have been a user of the Dr. Miles' medicines for years.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills can't be beaten. They are the only thing I have found that will relieve my neuralgia and I have tried most everything, besides medicine from the doctor. I am willing to tell anyone what the Anti-Pain Pills did for me."

CHARLES HILDBRANDT, Box 205 Woodville, Ohio

If you, like Mr. Hildbrandt, "have tried most everything" in vain, why not do as he did, fight your aches and pains with Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. Let the pills bear the brunt of the battle. No matter how stubborn the contest, they will come out victorious.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills stand on their record, which is a long list of cures extending back a generation.

Druggists everywhere sell them. If first package fails to benefit, your druggist will return your money. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

DEAR SIR:—

I will be at the following named places on their respective dates for the purpose of taking assessments for the year 1911:

Devine, Jan. 26 to Feb. 4, 1911.
Zig Zag, Feb. 6.
Biry, Feb. 7.
Dunlay, Feb. 8.
H. B. Balzen's, Feb. 16.
Quihi School House, Feb. 17.
Oefinger's Store, Feb. 18.
Lacoste, Feb. 25.
Boehme's store, Riomedina, Feb. 27.
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10.00 Suits now 7.45	50c Hosiery 30c	5c All-Steel Fancy Calicoes	8.50 Suits now 6.95	20c Hosiery now 17c
12.00 Suits now 8.95	50c Hosiery 30c	5c Handkerchiefs	10.50 Suits now 8.95	

10.00 Overcoats now 7.45	12.50 Overcoats now 9.35	15.00 Overcoats now 11.20	18.00 Overcoats now 13.45	20.00 Overcoats now 14.95	22.50 Overcoats now 16.95	25.00 Overcoats now 18.70
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Boys' Suits
\$1.50 Suits now \$1.10
2.50 Suits now 1.85
3.00 Suits now 2.24
3.50 Suits now 2.65
4.00 Suits now 2.95
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\$.50 Trousers now \$.38
.75 Trousers now .59
1.00 Trousers now .75
1.50 Trousers now 1.10
2.00 Trousers now 1.49
2.50 Trousers now 1.85
3.00 Trousers now 2.24
3.50 Trousers now 2.65
5.00 Trousers now 3.75

Men's and Boys' Hats
\$ 1.00 Hats now \$.89
1.50 Hats now 1.33
2.00 Hats now 1.79
2.50 Hats now 2.23
3.00 Hats now 2.69
3.50 Hats now 3.15

Caps
Men's and Boys' 25c Caps .18c
Men's and Boys' 35c Caps .25c
Men's and Boys' 50c Caps .30c
Men's 75c Caps .57c
Men's \$1.00 Caps .74c

All 50 Underwear .75	All 75 Underwear .75	All 1.00 Underwear .75	All 1.25 Underwear .75	All 1.50 Underwear .75	All 2.00 Underwear .75
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Trunks and Suit Cases
\$ 1.50 Trunks now \$1.10
2.50 Trunks now 1.85
3.50 Trunks now 2.24
5.00 Trunks now 2.65
8.00 Trunks now 3.15
10.00 Trunks now 3.75
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All \$.50 Kinds .38
All \$.75 Kinds .59
All \$ 1.00 Kinds .75
All \$ 1.25 Kinds .95
All \$ 1.50 Kinds 1.10
All \$ 1.75 Kinds 1.33
All \$ 2.00 Kinds 1.57
All \$ 2.50 Kinds 1.96
All \$ 3.50 Kinds 2.65
All \$ 5.00 Kinds 3.75

Gloves
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.75 Gloves now .59
1.00 Gloves now .75
1.50 Gloves now 1.10
2.00 Gloves now 1.49
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Slippers
\$1.00 Slippers now .89
1.25 Slippers now 1.10
1.50 Slippers now 1.33
1.75 Slippers now 1.57
2.00 Slippers now 1.85

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.35 Kinds now .25
.50 Kinds now .38
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40c Buckets	29c	60c Sauce Pans	43c	15c Tin Pans	11c
75c Rice Boilers	53c	25c Sauce Pans	19c	10c Cook Spoons	8c
50c Berlin Kettles	37c	35c Lipped Pans	26c	18c Enamel Pans	14c
60c Coffee Pots	43c	45c Lipped Pans	33c	25c Enamel Pans	19c
75c Water Pails	49c	10c Cups	8c	35c Enamel Pans	26c
75c Tea Kettles	56c	85c Coffee Boiler	63c	10c Cook Fork	8c
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25c Pickles .22c
35c India Relish .31c
20c Pepper Sauce .17c
25c Horse Radish .22c
35c Pearl Onions .31c
30c Mandalay Sauce .25c
45c Mince Meat .39c

Flour, bbl. in sacks \$5.40
25c California Canned Fruits, No. 3s .19c
15c Tomatoes, No. 3s .11c
Early June Peas, No. 2s .12c
Daisy Peas, No. 2s .8c
3-lb. Red Top Axle Grease .15c
Lusterlite Lamp Oil, gallon .12c
25c package Oat Meal .22c

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5c Tumblers	3c
25c Fruit Bowls	19c
40c Fruit Bowls	29c
35c 4-piece sets	23c
50c 4-piece sets	39c
75c 3-piece sets	63c
1.00 4-piece sets	83c
Toilet Sets	
Fancy Bowls, Plates, Pitchers, Etc.	
10c kinds now only	7c
15c kinds now only	11c
20c kinds now only	15c
25c kinds now only	19c
30c kinds now only	23c
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—Chocolates and Bon Bons at Hutzler's.

L. A. Haby was here Tuesday from Dunlay.

Mention the Anvil Herald to our advertisers

That Dollar Razor guaranteed. Holloway Bros.

Geo. Bailey was a San Antonio visitor Thursday.

Miss Bessie Moore went to San Antonio Tuesday.

Hames, trace chains and collar pads, Holloway Bros.

Mrs. W. H. Smith is back from her visit to Arizona.

Miss Ethel Gaines is back from her visit to San Antonio.

Kryptok invisible bifocals at James Pluck's optical office.

If your horses need shoeing bring them to Mechler's shop.

The Canton Planter is sold under a strict guarantee. Holloway Bros.

W. C. Horger is looking after business interests in Cotulla this week.

Mrs. W. C. Horger and little daughter are back from their visit to Eagle Pass.

Remember Windrow's Drug Store when you want Toilet Soaps; all kinds here.

Blank Books, Ledgers, Pocket Memoranda, etc., at Windrow's Drug Store.

Matt Cramer, Esq., was here from Devine the first of the week on legal business.

Miss Verbie Horger left Tuesday for Plainview to resume her studies in school at that place.

See the window display of the famous Club House line of fancy canned goods at Heyen & Co's.

Several brands of cigars for sale below cost. Regular 5c seller now two for 5c. Fritz Frerichs. tf.

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Messrs. J. U. and John Zuberbueller were here Saturday and again Tuesday from Dunlay on business.

Mrs. J. L. Brown of San Antonio was the guest of her mother, Mrs. B. Meriwether, the first of the week.

Lost, a gold stick-pin with a blue stone set. Finder will please return to this office and receive reward.

Liniment for bruises, pains, cramps, etc., in man or beast. O. S. Wallace, agent for Watkin's Remedies.

When contemplating the purchase of a hack or buggy get E. R. Leinweber's prices on the John Deere line. tf.

O. S. Wallace sells the famous Watkin's Extracts and Spices, the best and cheapest on the market. See him.

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Box at E. F. Martin's Shop. tf.
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Miss Minnie Bendele went to San Antonio Wednesday to spend some time.
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Wedding invitations, calling cards, etc. printed in the latest and most approved style at the Anvil Herald office.
Any one wishing to save money on the purchase of a new piano will find it to his interest to consult the editor of this paper.
Lost, Dec. 27th, between E. R. Leinweber's residence and Fulton's Stable, a boy's black hat. Finder will please return to this office and receive reward.
The dishes that were left over from the Mother's Club dinner can now be found at Bless' store instead of Mrs. Monkhouse's. Parties are requested to call and get them.
We are requested to announce that hereafter there will be Mass and the Sunday sermon at the Catholic Church at 9:30 A. M. every Sunday and Sunday school and instruction at 4 o'clock P. M.
FOR SALE, three choice lots, south-east corner block, and a neat three-room house near the school house for \$1600. Will sell house and one inside lot for \$1100. Either proposition is a bargain. See the Hondo Land Co., Taylor & Davis, Managers.
Blondin's big show, "The Cowboy, Indian and the Lady," will give the performance at night, the world's greatest cowboy, Cuba Crutchfield, spinning over one hundred feet of rope, Prof. Marshes' Canadian orchestra giving two grand concerts before the show starts. The Blondin show gives more free than most shows charge to see. Saturday, January 21.

Lacoste Laconica.
BY BLUE BELLE
ED. ANVIL HERALD:—
Well, as the New Year has come, I thought I would take up my letter to the Anvil Herald, as my friend is kept too busy at present to write regularly.
The new year has begun in earnest with our church. On Monday, Jan. 2, 1911, ten or fifteen men with their teams started hauling material, such as lumber, gravel, sand and brick, to the north-east part of town, where Mr. Emil Zinsmeister donated three acres of land for the Lacoste church. This will be a great improvement for the city and still greater for the people.
Miss Elizabeth Waltisperger left for her home in San Antonio, after a six months' stay here with relatives.
A grand show was given here Saturday night.
Miss Elsie Kruize of Converse visited her Uncle and Aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. Kruize, during the holidays.
Mrs. McMillan and daughter, Miss Loma, of San Antonio were here to attend the New Year's dance last Saturday night.
Misses Lina and Emma Geiger spent the holidays with relatives and friends in San Antonio.
Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Moore and baby, Marguerite, returned from a week's visit to relatives at Bigfoot last Sunday.
Mr. Geo. Christilles of Noonan was sporting a brand new automobile around town today (Thursday).
Mr. Arthur Bippert of Devine was seen on our streets today.
Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schmidt spent a few days in San Antonio last week.
Mr. Geo. Soltner and wife of San Antonio spent New Year's with Capt. Schmidt and wife.
Mr. Arthur Metzger and Miss Lizzie Krause of San Antonio spent New Year's with Misses Ida and Mary Kaufmann. They were accompanied home by Mrs. M. A. Kaufmann and Miss Maggie Krause, who spent the week with her grandmother at Idlewild.
The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Kroeger was baptized in the Catholic church last Thursday. The sponsors were Mr. Alfred Mangold and Miss Maggie Krause of San Antonio. The name given the little fellow was Nicholas Walter.
Miss Ida Reicherzer is home from San Antonio after a few months' stay at that place.
Miss Mary Hawkes is spending the week with relatives at Cline.
Miss Irma Loessberg is spending a two week's vacation with her cousins at Hondo.
The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Draitcourt was baptized in the Catholic church Sunday last with Mr. John Draitcourt and Miss Regina Mangold as sponsors. The name given the little Miss was Myrtle Margaret.
Miss Emma Sauer of Brackett spent last week with Miss Nora Loessberg of this place.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Krieger and children spent the holidays with relatives at San Antonio and Lavernia.
Misses Lina and Minnie Graff of Hondo spent Christmas with Misses Nora and Irma Loessberg at this place.
Miss Hilda Rihn of Spindletop spent a week with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Keller.
Prof. A. W. Myres, the New Fountain teacher, attended the Christmas and New Year dances at Castroville and Lacoste.
Mr. John Koenig and family took a flying trip to Macdonia to visit kins-folks and friends.
Misses Nora Loessberg and Regina Mangold spent the day Sunday with Misses Mollie and Annie Vollmering at Mustang Prairie.
Misses Regina Mangold and Helen Jungman spent the afternoon with the Misses Kruize last Monday.
Mrs. Joe Keller of Castroville is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Keller.
Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Jungmann made a flying trip to Devine one day last week.
Messrs. Geo. and Fred Hawkes returned from their hunting trip to Cline today.
Messrs. Nic. Tschirhart and Andrew Halbardier, two prosperous young men of Castroville, were sporting around town today.
Mrs. Adolph Ahr and daughters of Cline visited home folks here last week.
Miss Kathleen Lynch spent last week at Hondo. She was accompanied home by Miss Louisa Metzger of Hondo.
Mr. Bob Swearingen visited in Cline some time ago.
Mr. Dude Fitch from the North Pole is here to visit his friend, Dr. L. A. Koontz.
Mr. Chas. Reicherzer was very ill last week but at this writing is much better.
Messrs. Joe Biry, Henry Reus, Conrad Loessberg, Mike Franger and Otto Bippert were out hunting down at St. Michael. They returned home today with six big deer.
Miss Ida Etter was here to spend the holidays with homefolks. She returned to San Antonio one day this week.
Miss Florentina Keller, who is attending school at Castroville, spent the holidays with her parents at this place.
Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Jungmann, Mrs.

W. A. Luckenbach and Miss Ida Reicherzer spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Potranco.
Mr. Ed Geyer and family and Mrs. Louisa Geyer visited Mr. Henry Mann and family at Mustang Prairie.
The dance that was given by the W. O. W. New Year's Eve was largely attended. People from San Antonio, Atascosa, Macdonia, Lytle, Castroville, and Mustang Prairie were present. The dance broke up at 4 o'clock A. M., and all reported a fine time.
Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Vollmering of Mustang Prairie visited Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Loessberg Sunday.
Mr. Emil Moeller and family of San Antonio spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moeller.
Miss Sophie Geiger left for San Antonio yesterday where she will stay for a few months.
Lacoste, Tex., Jan. 10, 1911.
Herman Sons' Smoker.
The local lodge of Sons of Herman held its business meeting last Saturday night. The members enjoyed a smoker after the business session.
President Joe Fohn read an interesting paper on "The Life and History of Herman," after whom the order is named.
Matt. Rath delivered an instructive and interesting speech about the benefits to be derived from the lodge, and also took a retrospective view of the past year. He urged the members to take more interest in the lodge and attend regularly. Mr. Rath said he was gratified that the lodge had not lost a member by death during the past year, and hoped none would die this year. But if a member should die he urged the brethren to show themselves to be true Herman Sons in spirit as well as in name and take care of the widow and orphans. The speech was too long to publish in full, but was very much enjoyed by all present.
At the proper time a palatable repast—together with lager beer—was served.
During the evening several German songs, among them, "Die Wacht am Rhein," were rendered by Messrs. Aug. Schuehle, Matt. Rath, Nic., Toby and John Koch.
August Schuehle, (better known as Sly) the silver-tongued orator, also delivered an able address during the "Abenunderhaltung." —PINKIE.
Rainfall at Hondo.
County Judge H. E. Haass, who is also the government weather observer at this point, has kept a record of the annual rainfall for the past several years.
Below we give the figures from the time he began keeping them:
Total rainfall 1899 23.17.
Total rainfall 1900 38.67.
Total rainfall 1901 17.46.
Total rainfall 1902 25.68.
Total rainfall 1903 36.91.
Total rainfall 1904 28.97.
Total rainfall 1905 33.47.
Total rainfall 1906 31.65.
Total rainfall 1907 32.87.
Total rainfall 1908 28.89.
Total rainfall 1909 17.54.
Total rainfall 1910 18.04.
Average for past twelve years 27.77.
"Blondin's Big Show."
"The Cowboy, Indian and the Lady," this powerful comedy drama of life in the southwest, has made a remarkable appeal to the show goers. It touches with force the romantic spirit inherent in everyone. Its story is true to the heart and nature. Its characters are strikingly well drawn and cleverly contrasted and the entire performance teems with fascinating dash from start to finish. It is so real in the personalities who tell the story of The Cowboy, Indian and the Lady that one is translated and for a time becomes actually a participant in these stirring events of the play. The peculiar building of the play is a distinct novelty. All the scenes are laid to make the story real. Saturday, Jan. 21.
Commissioners' Court.
Commissioners Court convened here Monday in special session to receive reports of road overseers and to appoint new ones for the ensuing two years.
Commissioners B. H. Brucks of Hondo, Aug. Tschirhart of Castroville, Golden Grant of Devine J. B. Ney of D'Hanis and the usual officers were present.
Aside from approving a few accounts only road matters were transacted and court adjourned Wednesday afternoon.
A list of the over-seers will be published when their commissions are issued.
A Good Show.
Blondin's big show in the new comedy drama, "The Cowboy, Indian and the Lady." The best of all under-canvas shows. Band parade at 1:00 p. m. Saturday, Jan. 21, 1911.
After Jan. 1st, I will have a select Stock of Picture Moulding and can frame your pictures promptly.
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FOR SALE—100 bushels Mebane Cotton Seed. Apply to Frank Moore, Hondo, Texas. Phone 22, 1 long, 2 shorts.

"Go And Hear"
Ferris Taylor sing "Nobody Knows, Nobody Cares," Eleanor Blondin in "Certainly Going to do What I Please," Miss Mann sings "Stop Making Faces at Me," and other musical numbers with the Blondin Show. Saturday, January 21.
—Let L. J. Brucks prepare your abstracts. He represents the Garner Abstract & Land Co. There is never any complaint about a Garner Abstract.
For Sale—Two-story house and three lots in Hondo, near court house, known as the J. A. Burnside property, at a bargain price. Mrs. J. A. Burnside, 1102 Victoria St., San Antonio, Texas.
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CASTROVILLE Anvil Sparks.

This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville,—
ED H. HUEHNER, Editor
 who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

What might have been a serious accident happened to Mrs. Albert Bourquin and daughter, Miss Josephine, of Upper San Geronimo, New Year's morning while coming to town in a buggy. Their horse shied at a couple of riders, and two of the wheels ran up on an embankment causing the vehicle to capsize. Fortunately, the top and seat came off and the occupants passed through the ordeal unhurt. The horse came down the road at a breakneck speed and after several attempts, was finally stopped near Jos. Brieden's by Messrs. Otto Schmitt and Arthur Holzhaus.

Grandma Zimmermann celebrated her 74th anniversary last Sunday, Jan. 7, 1911. Her children and a number of other relatives assembled at her hospitable home and the day was pleasantly spent in feasting and celebrating the happy event. We join in wishing the venerable old lady many happy returns of her natal day.

Owing to the severe cold weather the New Year Balls at both our Halls were lightly attended.

We were informed that the Thermometer registered 14 below freezing both Tuesday and Wednesday morning.

Mr. Frank Vann moved Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Kilhorn's household goods to Hondo, Tuesday.

Aug. Martin, the New Fountain cattle buyer sold a bunch of fat cattle to Butcher Ed. Hans Wednesday.

Several engineers and Surveyors for the Medina Valley Irrigation Co. arrived Thursday and proceeded the dam site on Upper Medina in the afternoon.

Louis Meyer of Gilliam Ranch, was

a Castroville business visitor Thursday. Prof. Hogan, the oculist, came in Thursday, from San Antonio on business bound.

Hon R. J. Noonan, our County Attorney, was a noted Castroville visitor Friday.

Mr. Joe Schmidt of Black Creek, was also here on business Friday.

Mr. John Wernette Jr. of Del Rio arrived Sunday on a visit to home folks and friends.

F. Kilhorn Sr. and daughter, Miss Annie, left Sunday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. F. Kilhorn Jr. at Hondo.

Aug. Mangold Sr. took a bunch of fat cattle to the San Antonio markets for Butcher Ed Hans, Sunday.

Aug. Tschirhart is attending Commissioner's Court at Hondo.

Died.

Mr. Charles Fischer, an aged and respected farmer and citizen of Floresville Wilson County, only brother of Mr. Jos. Fischer of First Creek and father-in-law of Ben de Joirno of Sturm Hill, died at the latter's home Saturday at noon, Jan. 7, 1911. The remains were brought to Castroville and laid away to rest at the St. Louis Cemetery on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Father Heckman performed the last sad rites.

Deceased was a sufferer from Asthma and had been spending several months with his son-in-law for the benefit of his health. He leaves a wife and several children and a number of other relatives to mourn his demise.

Castroville, Jan. 9, '11

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D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Mr. John M. Koch, our popular hotel proprietor, is still alive to the town and the beautifying of the same. The brewery depot has received a new coat of paint and a new sign, and starts the new year in its new dress to be as popular as ever.

Last Monday night, Dec. 25, saw a select crowd of young ladies and gentlemen in D'Hanis the attraction being two swell dances, one at the hall of Messrs. Sauter & Koch, and the other being the first opening of the hall of Mr. Louis Carle. Both halls were filled to overflowing with the elite of D'Hanis and vicinity. The young people report a fine time.

Mr. Louis Carle Jr. who has been spending the holidays with the home folks returned to St. Louis College Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tondre, spent the Happy New Year's day at Mr. and Mrs. Anton Ney's.

Mr. V. A. Johnson, our popular ranchman, who lives twelve miles south of town, last week purchased Mr. Hearne's Apiary and all its appurtenances and will locate the same on his ranch. The process of moving has already begun and by the last of the week the Apiary will be installed in its new home. We understand that the former owner, Mr. Hearne, who is an adept in the art of handling bees, will have the future charge. While we regret to lose Mr. Hearne, we feel that our loss will be Mr. Johnson's gain.

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Are tonic in action, quick in results. A special medicine for all kidney and bladder disorders. Mary C. Abbott, Wolfboro, N. H., says: "I was afflicted with a bad case of rheumatism, due to uric acid that my kidneys failed to clear out of my blood. I was so lame in my feet joints, and back, that it was agony for me to step. I used Foley Kidney Pills for three days when I was able to get up and move about and the pains were all gone. This great change in condition I owe to Foley Kidney Pills, and recommend them to anyone suffering as I have." W. H. Windrow.

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"Neither my sister nor myself might be living to-day, if it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery" writes A. D. McDonald of Fayetteville, N. C. R. F. D. No. 8, "for we both had frightful coughs that no other remedy could help. We were told that my sister had consumption. She was very weak and had night sweats but your wonderful medicine completely cured us both. It's the best I ever used or heard of." For sore lungs, coughs, colds, hemorrhage, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup, whooping cough,—all bronchial troubles,—its supreme. Trial bottle free. 50c. and \$1.00. Guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.

Even if woman is becoming more masculine, as the Harvard man says, very few husbands will care to expatiate upon the theme by their happy firesides!

C. J. Simon, Memphis.

Very often young people, at an age when they should be in the prime of health, suffer from chronic constipation and nothing seems to help them. It was so with Mr. C. J. Simon of Memphis, Tenn. until he took Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and now he is permanently cured. It will also cure indigestion, heartburn, flatulency, sick headache, sour stomach, etc. It is absolutely guaranteed to do what is claimed and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co. 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists.

We understand that A. Armstrong Jr. has sold his ranch in this county to Riley Patterson of Uvalde, though full details are lacking.—Sanderson Times.

Known by Other Names.

There are no set of diseases so misnamed as those that pertain to the stomach, liver and bowels. Many think their nerves are deranged, their heart diseased, their kidneys weak, their blood impure, when in reality they have stomach or bowel trouble. Try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the wonderful regulator, and see how quickly you find yourself cured. It is absolutely guaranteed to do all that is claimed, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists, at 50c and \$1 a bottle.

SOME BARGAINS.

An 80-acre farm, 2 1/2 miles southwest of Hondo, with 50 acres in cultivation, a four room house, a good well and windmill and the necessary outbuildings will be sold for \$50 an acre, half cash and balance in one and two years, 5 per cent interest. Apply to the owner, Joe Sauter, on the place, or to agent, the Hondo Land Co.

A 320-acre farm, 8 1/2 miles south of Hondo, all fenced and 85 acres in cultivation, with a two-room house, good well, windmill and tank, will be sold for \$25.00 per acre, half cash and balance on terms to suit purchaser at 5 per cent interest.

An eight-room residence in Hondo situated on four lots 35x140-feet, will be sold cheap and on liberal terms. A well improved home and a bargain for some one wanting a good place in Hondo.

One and a half lots with three-room house and well, north of court house in Burnside addition. Price reasonable.

Four hundred dollars will buy two of the choicest lots in the Miller addition, lots 3 and 4 in block 3. One is 70x140 feet and the other 60x140.

For Sale: Lot No. 8 in block No. 32, in town of Lacoste, business building 22x24 feet together with barber outfit, for \$1200 and on liberal terms, to Gus. C. Moeller, owner, or to this company.

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\$1,600, one-half cash and balance on terms to suit purchaser, will buy neat, new three-room house situated on three lots near the school house. This property is a southeast corner and is a bargain. Will sell the house one lot for \$1,100 on the same terms.

If you want to buy, sell or lease town or country property and are prepared to talk business see the—

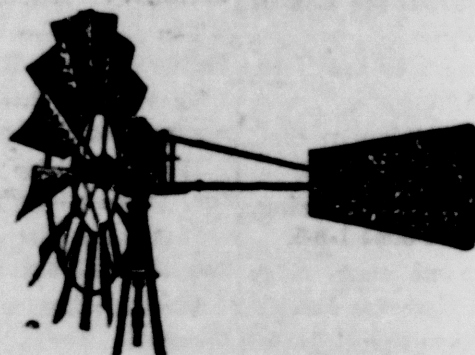
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